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FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9925

INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJ: AUSTRALIAN OIL CARGO PREFERENCE POLICY

REF: STATE 103432

1. IN DISCUSSION WITH EMBOFF ON MAY 6, TOMITA (DIRECTOR, OVERSEAS DIVISION, SHIPPING BUREAU, MOT) EXPLAINED JAPANESE ATTITUDE TOWARDS AUSTRALIAN OIL CARGO PREFERENCE POLICY. TOMITA SAID THAT UP TO THIS POINT GOJ CONSIDERS THAN AUSTRALIA HAS ONLY EXPRESSED A QTE DESIRE UNQTE TO RESERVE A PORTION OF OIL IMPORTS FOR CARRIAGE IN AUSTRALIAN VESSELS. HE CONCEDED THAT EVENTUALLY THIS DESIRE PROBABLY WOULD BE TRANSLATED INTO LEGAL ACTION TO IMPLEMENT A CARGO RESERVATION SCHEME, BUT UNTIL THAT POINT IS ACTUALLY REACHED GOJ WILL NOT MAKE ANY FORMAL REPRESENTATIONS ON THE ISSUE. HOWEVER, HE SAID GOJ HAD CONVEYED ITS
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CONCERN IN THE MATTER GO GOA ON AN INFORMAL BASIS.

2. MAY EMBASSY PROVIDE MOT AND FONOFF WITH COPY OF
U.S. AIDE MEMOIRE TO GOA (REFTEL) AFTER IT HAS BEEN
DELIVERED IN CANBERRA?
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